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In response to the Species Restriction Requirement dated March 20, 2006, applicant elects Species A, Figs. 1-7, without traverse. Claims 1 and 3 read on the elected species.

Respectfully submitted,

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